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TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk

ELIZABETH P. POLLARD

Selectmen

CHARLES M. FESSENDEN
HOLLIS L. POLLARD
EVERETT E. ATWOOD

Treasurer

INA M. ATWOOD

Tax Collector

EDWARD G. MELLUS

Road Agent

JOHN L. JENNESS

Fire Warden

EVERETT E. ATWOOD

Police Officer

DELMORE BUCKLIN

SUPERVISORS

ELMER WISER JANE COOK
MARIETTA GILPATRIC

Trustees of Trust Funds

FRANCIS CLEMENT HARRY SMITH
JOSEPHINE FLETCHER

Library Trustees

GERTRUDE BUCKLIN EDNA L. LeBEAU
ELIZABETH TORSEY

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are herby notified to meet at Grange Hall in said Bridgewater on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Selectman for three years and all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for General Government.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for Blister Rust.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $364.11 for class 5 Highways TRA and the State will contribute $2427.41.

5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for oiling the Dick Brown Road.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Class 5 Highways and Bridges. (Town Roads)

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Snow Removal and Winter Sand.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $50 for the Newfound Chamber of Commerce.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Lakes Region Ass'n.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for Old Age Assistance.

11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Poor.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $175 for interest on temporary loans.

13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Libraries.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $15 for Memorial Day.

15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Home Day.

16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Town Dump.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding $3000 for the purpose of erecting a building for the storage of Highway Equipment, such sum to be raised through the issuance of serial notes under and in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Bonds Statute, and amendments thereto, and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such notes, and to determine the time and place of payment thereof, under such terms and conditions as they may deem to be in the best interest of the Town.

18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and deliver inventory blanks when assessing.

19. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road running from the Ellen Webster residence to Bridgewater Hill near the residence of Josephine Fletcher.

20. To transact any further business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and Fifty Three.

HOLLIS L. POLLARD
CHARLES M. FESSENDEN
EVERETT S. ATWOOD
Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HOLLIS L. POLLARD
CHARLES M. FESSENDEN
EVERETT S. ATWOOD
Selectmen of Bridgewater

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Amount
Town Hall	$1,200.00
Furniture and Equipment	80.00
Libraries and Equipment	300.00
Fire Department	800.00
Highway Department	3,000.00
Schools, Land, Buildings and Equipment	3,200.00
	$8,580.00

Certificate

This is to certify that the information in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HOLLIS L. POLLARD
EVERETT E. ATWOOD
CHARLES M. FESSENDEN

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1. 1953 to December 31, 1953. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1952	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1952	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1953
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$206.72	$206.72	$206.72
Railroad Tax	11.00	11.00	
Savings Bank Tax	100.00	71.37	75.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	434.62	400.41	400.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	123.20	68.00	75.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	10.00	10.00	10.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits		171.79	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	800.00	861.11	800.00
Sale of Town Property		55.00	
Cash Surplus		162.20	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2		176.00	240.00
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes			$28,095.72

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1952	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1952	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1953
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries		$1,083.46	$1,100.00
Town Officers' Expenses		659.49	650.00
Election and Registration Expenses		193.60	100.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings		24.00	
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department		70.74	50.00
Blister Rust			200.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		82.90	82.90
Health:			
Vital Statistics		3.00	3.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal		113.00	75.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	$4,500.00	4,612.00	4,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	3,000.00	3,503.14	3,500.00
Oiling Road			3,000.00
Town Road Aid			364.11
Libraries	150.00	150.00	150.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor		318.00	400.00
Old Age Assistance		401.88	400.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Ass'ns.		15.00	15.00
Recreation:			
Old Home Day		30.00	30.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses, Including Dag Damage		4.19	4.50
Advertising and Regional Associations		75.00	75.00
Interest		165.62	175.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes			1,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:			
County Taxes		2,413.91	2,413.91
School Taxes	12,220.75	10,944.05	13,103.47
Total Expenditures	$19,870.75	$24,862.38	$29,901.89

SELECTMENS' REPORT

Land and Buildings	$943,120.00
Electric Plants	62,998.00
10 Horses	625.00
6 Oxen	405.00
50 Cows	4,775.00
4 Sheep and Goats	60.00
615 Fowl	668.00
Wood and Lumber	14,200.00
Gasoline Tanks and Pumps	425.00
Stock in Trade	2,160.00
Mills and Machinery	6,100.00
Total Valuation	$1,035,536.00
Less Soldiers Exemptions	12,543.00
Net Valuation	$1,022,993.00
Taxes Committed to Collector	$22,699.13
Tax Rate	$2.23

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

February 13, 1953

Board of Selectmen

Bridgewater, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the annual audit and examination of the accounts of the Town of Bridgewater for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Town Clerk.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Comparative Balance Sheets: Dec. 31, 1951-Dec. 31, 1952:

(Exhibit A)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1951 and December 31, 1952, are presented in Exhibit A. As shown therein the Surplus decreased by $1,730.72 in 1952.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)

An anaylsis of the change in financial condition of the Town during the year is made in Exhibit B, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Decreases in Surplus

Net Budget Deficit	$1,722.44	
Increase in Account Payable	32.20	
		$1,754.64

Increases in Surplus

Increase in Cash in Hand of Officials	$19.87	
Tax Collector's Excess Credit	4.00	
Adjustment of Cash Balance-Dec. 31, 1951	.05	
		$23.92
Net Decrease		$1,730.72

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures-Estimated and Actual Revenues:

(Exhibits C & D)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, are presented in Exhibits C and D. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit D), overdrafts of appropriations totaling $2,032.07, less a net revenue surplus of $309,63, resulted in a net budget deficit of $1,722.44.

Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E)

A summary of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit E. Proof of the Treasurer's balance, as of December 31, 1952, is indicated in Exhibit F.

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds, with the exception of the trustees of trust funds, were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the book of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks.

REPORT OF AUDIT (Continued)

Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Bridgewater for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Your very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

C. David Sullivan, Auditor

Edgar O. Pesquera, Accountant

Certificate of Audit

February 13, 1953

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Bridgewater for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952. In our opinion the Exihibts included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town as of December 31, 1952, together with the results of operations for the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

C. David Sullivan, Auditor

Edgar O. Pesquera, Accountant

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Comparative Balance Sheets

Fiscal Years Ended December 31, 1951 and 1952

ASSETS

	Dec. 31, 1951		Dec. 31, 1952	
Cash:				
In Hands of Treasurer	$2,136.66		$2,460.96	
In Hands of Town Clerk			9.87	
In Hands of Tax Collector			924.14	
		$2,136.66		$3,394.97
Due from State of New Hampshire:				
Bounties		4.00		5.50
Uncollected Taxes:				
Levy of 1952			$4.661.38	
Levy of 1951	$6,911.83		34.44	
Levy of 1950	1.56			
		$6,913.39		$4,695.82
Uncollected State Head Taxes:				
Levy of 1952				180.00
Levy of 1951		160.00		
Yield Taxes—Assessed—Not Committed:				
Levy of 1952			$392.94	
Levy of 1951	$472.32		472.32	
		$472.32		$865.26
Total Assets		$9,686.37		$9,141.55

LIABILITIES

	Dec. 31, 1951		Dec. 31, 1952	
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations:				
Fire Department	$334.50		$328.50	
Town Hall and Buildings	262.60		238.60	
Town Dump	178.00		65.00	
		$775.10		$632.10
Accounts Payable				32.20
Due State of New Hampshire:				
1951 Head Taxes Uncollected (Contra)		160.00		
1952 Head Taxes Uncollected (Contra)				180.00
Yield Tax Reserve		14.30		14.30
Due School District		6,844.05		8,120.75
Total Liabilities		$7,793.45		$8,979.35
Surplus		1,892.92		162.20
Total Liabilities and Surplus		$9,686.37		$9,141.55

EXHIBIT B

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Surplus—December 31, 1951			$1,892.92	
Surplus—December 31, 1952			162.20	
Decrease in Surplus				$1,730.72

Factors Affecting Decrease in Surplus

Decreases in Surplus:				
Net Budget Deficit (Exhibit D)		$1,722.44		
Increase in Accounts Payable		32.20		
			$1,754.64	
Increases in Surplus:				
Increases in Cash in Hands of Officials:				
Town Clerk	$9.87			
Tax Collector— a/c Head Taxes	10.00			
		$19.87		
Tax Collector's Excess Credit		4.00		
Adjustment to Cash Balance— Dec. 31, 1951		.05		
			23.92	
Net Decrease in Surplus				$1,730.72

EXHIBIT C
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Title of Account	Forwarded From 1951	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Balance Overdraft	Forwarded to 1953 Assets	Forwarded to 1953 Liabilities
Town Officers' Salaries)		$1,650.00	$69.61	$1,719.61	$1,083.46)	$299.84		
Town Clerk's Motor Vehicle Permit Fees)					82.90)			
Town Officers' Expenses)					659.49)			
Election and Registration)					193.60)			
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	$262.60			262.60	24.00			$238.60
Police Department					70.14	70.14		
Fire Department	334.50			334.50	6.00			328.50
Bounties					1.50		1.50	
Vital Statistics					3.00	3.00		
Town Dump	178.00			178.00	113.00			65.00
Town Road Aid		365.92		365.92	365.92			
Town Maintenance		7,500.00		7,500.00	8,232.39	732.39		
Libraries		150.00		150.00	150.00			
Old Age Assistance		1.00		1.00	401.88	400.88		
Town Poor					318.00	318.00		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations		45.00		45.00	45.00			
Advertising and Regional Associations		75.00		75.00	75.00			
Interest					165.62	165.62		
Temporary Loans			11,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00			
County Tax		2,413.91		2,413.91	2,413.91			
School District	6,844.05	12,220.75		19,064.80	10,944.05			8,120.75
State Head Taxes and Penalties—1951 a/c			161.71	161.71	161.71			
State Head Taxes and Penalties—1952 a/c			554.68	554.68	554.68			
Overlay—Abatements and Tax Refunds		287.81		287.81	288.08	.27		
Refunds					41.93	41.93		
	$7,619.15	$24,709.39	$11,786.00	$44,114.54	$37,395.26	$2,032.07	$1.50	$8,752.85

EXHIBIT D

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues and Budget Summary

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Source	Estimated	Actual	Excess	Deficit
Interest and Dividend Tax	$206.72	$206.72		
Railroad Tax	.11	.11		
Savings Bank Tax	100.00	71.37		$28.63
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	434.62	(*)392.94		41.68
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	800.00	851.24	51.24	
Dog Licenses	123.20	68.00		55.20
Refunds		2.14	2.14	
Sale of Town Property		55.00	55.00	
Filing Fees		10.00	10.00	
Added Taxes		490.58	490.58	
Interest on Taxes		171.79	171.79	
Deficiency of Taxes Committed Under Budgetary Requirements	345.61			345.61
	$2,010.26	$2,319.89	$780.75	$471.12

Budget Summary

Overdrafts of Appropriations		$2,032.07	
Actual Revenues	$2,319.89		
Estimated Revenues	2,010.26		
Net Revenue Surplus		309.63	
Net Budget Deficit			$1,722.44

(*) Yield Taxes Not Committed to Collector as of February 5, 1953

EXHIBIT E

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Classified Summary of Receipts and Expenditures

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Receipts

Current Revenue:			
From Local Taxes:			
Levy of 1952:			
Property Taxes	$17,369.85		
Poll Taxes	176.00		
State Head Taxes	565.00		
		$18,110.85	
Prior Years:			
Property Taxes	$6,691.97		
Poll Taxes	96.00		
Yield Taxes	1.56		
Head Taxes	150.00		
		6,939.53	
Interest on Taxes		171.79	
Head Tax Penalties		16.00	
			$25,238.17
State of New Hampshire:			
Interest and Dividend Tax		$206.72	
Savings Bank Tax		71.37	
Railroad Tax		.11	
			278.20
Local Sources, Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses		$68.00	
Filing Fees		10.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		851.24	
			929.24
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:			
Temporary Loans		$11,000.00	
Sale of Town Property		55.00	
Refunds		57.14	
			11,112.14
Total Receipts From All Sources			$37,557.75
Balance—December 31, 1951			2,136.71
Grand Total			$39,694.46

Classified Summary of Receipts and Expenditures

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Expenditures

General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$1,083.46		
Town Clerk's Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	82.90		
Town Officers' Expenses	659.49		
Election and Registration	193.60		
Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	24.00		
		$2,043.45	
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	$70.14		
Fire Department	6.00		
Bounties	1.50		
		77.64	
Health:			
Vital Statistics	$3.00		
Town Dump	113.00		
		116.00	
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Road Aid	$365.92		
Town Maintenance—Summer	4,612.45		
—Winter	3,503.14		
Withholding Taxes	116.80		
		8,598.31	
Libraries			150.00
Public Welfare:			
Old Age Assistance	$401.88		
Town Poor	318.00		
		719.88	
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations		45.00	
Unclassified:			
Advertising and Regional Associations	$75.00		
Tax Abatement Refund	126.32		
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	41.93		
		243.25	
Interest:			
Paid on Temporary Loans		165.62	

EXHIBIT E (Continued)

Indebtedness:				
Payments on Temporary Loans			11,000.00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
State Head Taxes Paid to Treasurer:				
1951	$161.71			
1952	554.68			
		716.39		
Taxes Paid to County		2,413.91		
School District:				
1951-1952 Appropriation	$7,644.05			
1952-1953 Appropriation	3,300.00			
		10,944.05		
			$14,074.35	
Total Payments For All Purposes				$37,233.50
Balance—December 31, 1952				2,460.96
Grand Total				$39,694.46

EXHIBIT F

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Summary of Receipts and Expenditures and Proof of Treasurer's Balance

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Balance—December 31, 1951	$2,136.66		
Adjustment to Balance	.05		
Adjusted Balance—December 31, 1951		$2,136.71	
Receipts During Year		37,557.75	
		$39,694.46	
Expenditures During Year		37,233.50	
Balance—December 31, 1952			$2,460.96
Proof of Treasurer's Balance			
Balance in the First National Bank of Bristol per Statement dated December 24, 1952		$3,435.25	
Add: Deposits Not Credited:			
January 7, 1953	$316.71		
	2,676.79		
January 12, 1953	4.05		
		2,997.55	
		$6,432.80	
Less: Outstanding Checks		3,971.84	
Reconciled Bank Balance—December 31, 1952			$2,460.96

EXHIBIT G

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Summary of Warrant—Levy of 1952

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	$22,467.13		
Poll Taxes	232.00		
		$22,699.13	
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes	$456.38		
Poll Taxes	6.00		
		462.38	
			$23,161.51

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:			
A/c Property Taxes	$17,369.85		
A/c Poll Taxes	176.00		
		$17,545.85	
Abatements Allowed:			
Property Taxes		40.14	
Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1952:			
Property Taxes	$4,599.38		
Poll Taxes	62.00		
		4,661.38	
		$22,247.37	
Cash on Hand—December 31, 1952		914.14	
			$23,161.51

EXHIBIT G-1

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Summary of Warrants—Levies of Prior Years

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Debits

	Levies of: 1951	1950	Total
Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1951:			
Property Taxes	$6,811.83		$6,811.83
Poll Taxes	100.00		100.00
Yield Taxes		1.56	1.56
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes	28.20		28.20
Interest Collected	171.79		171.79
	$7,111.82	$1.56	$7,113.38

EXHIBIT G-1 (Continued)

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:			
A/c Property Taxes	$6,691.97		$6,691.97
A/c Poll Taxes	96.00		96.00
A/c Yield Taxes		1.56	1.56
A/c Interest	171.79		171.79
Abatements Allowed:			
Property Taxes	121.62		121.62
Uncollected Taxes—December 31 1952:			
Property Taxes	26.44		26.44
Poll Taxes	8.00		8.00
	$7,115.82	$1.56	$7,117.38
Less: Excess Credit—a/c Poll Taxes	4.00		4.00
	$7,111.82	$1.56	$7,113.38

EXHIBIT G-3
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER
Summary of State Head Tax Warrants
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Debits

	Levies of: 1952	1951
Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1951		$160.00
Taxes Committed to Collector	$740.00	
Added Taxes	20.00	
Penalties Collected	1.00	15.00
	$761.00	$175.00

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:		
A/c Head Taxes	$565.00	$150.00
A/c Penalties	1.00	15.00
Abatements Allowed	5.00	10.00
Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1952	180.00	
	$751.00	$175.00
Cash on Hand—December 31 1952	10.00	
	$761.00	$175.00

EXHIBIT H
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER
Summary of Town Clerk's Motor Vehicle and Dog License Accounts
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Debits

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:		
1951—No. 18670-No. 18677	$12.38	
1952—No. 18751-No. 18918	848.73	
		$861.11

Dog Licenses Issued:			
24 Males @ $2.00 each	$48.00		
1 Kennel @ $25.00 each	25.00		
	$73.00		
Less: 25 Fees @ 20c each	5.00		
		68.00	
Filing Fees		10.00	
			$939.11

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:			
A/c Motor Vehicle Permits	$851.24		
A/c Dog Licenses	68.00		
A/c Filing Fees	10.00		
		$929.24	
Cash on Hand—a/c Motor Vehicle Permits—December 31, 1952		9.87	
			$939.11

EXHIBIT I

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Town Officers' Surety Bonds

1952

	Number	Amount	Term Beginning
Town Clerk:			
Elizabeth P. Pollard			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275001	$1,000.00	March. 11, 1952
Tax Collector:			
Edward G. Mellus			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275003	$3,700.00	March. 11, 1952
Town Treasurer:			
Ina M. Atwood			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275002	$5,000.00	March 11, 1952
Road Agent:			
John L. Jenness			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275000	$1,250.00	March 11, 1952
Trustees of Trust Funds:			
Francis Clement			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275174	$1,000.00	March 11, 1952
Harry Smith			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275175	$1,000.00	March 11, 1952
Josephine Fletcher			
Century Indemnity Company	S-275173	$1,000.00	March 11, 1952
Agent for Snow Removal:			
John L. Jenness			
Century Indemnity Company	S-273650	$1,250.00	March 11, 1952

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Town Officers Salaries

Hollis L. Pollard, ch. Selectmen	$350.00
Everett E. Atwood, Selectman	150.00
Charles M. Fessenden, Selectman	150.00
Ina M. Atwood, Treasurer	50.00
Elizabeth Pollard, Clerk	50.00
Edward G. Mellus, Collector	333.46
	$1,083.46

Town Officers Expenses

Journal-Transcript-Town Reports	$286.92
Ida Horner—Dues Tax Collectors Ass'n.	3.00
G. D. Isacson, Affidavit forms	1.92
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	57.13
Edson Eastman, Dog tags	4.20
State Tax Commission, Audit	94.64
F. J. Shores, transfers	12.80
Anna Proctor, transfer names	.40
John C. Ray, bonds and insurance	59.00
Charles M. Fessenden, expenses	24.00
Elizabeth Pollard, expenses	17.78
Everett Atwood, expenses	10.00
Edward Mellus, expenses	10.50
Ina M. Atwood, expenses	4.00
Charles Hardy, dues, Town Clerk's Ass'n.	2.00
Bank Service Charges	.70
Marietta Gilpatric, expenses and travel	14.56
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	13.60
Hollis Pollard, expense	42.34
	$659.49

Election and Registration

Enterprise Press, notices	$11.00
Jane Cook, Supervisor	22.95
Jane Cook, Supervisor	27.90
Enterprise Press	6.00
Edward Mellus, Moderator	15.00
Elmer P. Wiser, Supervisor	39.00
Marietta Gilpatric, Supervisor	39.00
Record Print, notice	2.75
	$163.60

Town Hall

N. H. Electric Corp., Inc., lights	24.00
	$24.00

Police Department

Delmore Bucklin, 1951 salary and expenses	$39.64
Delmore Bucklin, 1952 salary and expenses	30.50
	$70.14

Fire Department

Bristol Fire Precinct—Boyd fire	6.00
	$6.00

Town Dump

A. S. Woodward, digging trench	12.00
Lawrence Fogg, care of dump	100.00
	$112.00

Tax Abatements (authorized by Tax Commission on 1951 Reappraisal)

Lula Moore	$14.69
George Swazey	7.05
Margaret R. Bruton	16.45
Bella E. Lobban	23.50
Grace E. M. Fischer	35.25
Lawrence Fogg	8.23
Cleon White	9.40
Harold Ockenga	11.75
	$126.32

REPORT OF JOHN L. JENNESS, Road Agent

Summer Roads

Montgomery Ward & Co., tractor tire	14.86
Eisenhour's Hardware, stone pickers	7.00
Bert Forbes, bridge planks	44.45
Robert Williams, bridge planks and stringers	148.07
H. T. Follansby, shovels	9.20
Bartlett Auto Co., welding	2.40
Tilton Construction Co., shovel	63.00
Chase Grain, culverts	244.67
Murray Machinery Co.	4.42
Granite State Asphalt	20.25
New England Metal Culvert Co.	82.92
Penn Hampshire Oil	24.48
G. A. Ober & Son	258.37
Ernest Woodard	29.70
Alpheus Woodard	13.20
Wendall Lougee	24.30
Robert Brown, shovel	81.90
Everett Morrill	12.00
J. L. Jenness, Agent, labor and truck	1,852.00
Maurice Jenness, labor	182.80
Ira Morrill, labor	660.60
Victor Morrill, truck	101.70
Leo Gilpatric, labor	100.40
Harry Smith, labor	74.00
Ralph Gilpatric, labor	58.00
Robert Gilpatric, labor	12.00
Nathan Morrison, bulldozer and loader	75.00
George Morrison, truck	13.20
Delmore Bucklin, truck, gas, repairs on Huber	118.35
Lawrence Morrill, labor	121.10
Francis Clement, labor	20.00
Arthur Morrill, gravel	20.02
Nathan Morrison, sand	48.20
Totals	$4,542.56

Winter Roads

P. E. Knowles plowing Hunt Road	$150.00
Socony Vacuum Co. fuel for tractor	75.48
Chase Grain, salt	127.00
N. H. Highway Dept. plowing Point Road	13.81
Plant Motor Sales	9.20
Eastern Tractor Equipment Co.	10.07
Arthur Corneu, fuel for tractor	3.95
Powers Motor Parts, cap screws and nuts	4.16
Casellini Venable Corp., hose for tractor	6.25
Clifford Titus, oil	34.98
Penn Hampshire Oil Co., anti-freeze	14.91
Hill Martin Corp., repairing tractor	523.45
Proctor, welding	44.74
Charlie Gould, welding	72.46
Bartlett Auto	15.76
Walter Brown, bolts	1.23
Rand's, bolts	4.44
W. Buckley, labor	2.90
Deming, bolts	4.10
J. E. Falton, transportation	2.80
John Jenness, truck and labor	1,048.00
Maurice Jenness, labor	538.80
Leo Gilpatric, labor	153.60
Ira Morrill, labor	79.80
Robert Cass, labor	29.00
Max Jenness, labor	19.00
John Morgan, labor	26.00
Creighton Gray, labor	44.00
Charles Barnes, labor	7.00
Robert Gilpatric, labor	15.00
Victor Morrill, truck and labor	26.00
Ora Morrill, labor	13.00
R. C. Hazelton, generator and plow blades	167.65
Clara Jenness, sand	38.20
Harry Cass	4.00
Nathan Morrison, plowing	92.00
G. A. Ober & Son, batteries and gas	56.22
Delmore Bucklin, labor	11.11
Totals	$3,490.07

OLD HOME DAY

Cash on hand August 1, 1952	$31.29
Receipts	
C. A. Powers, collection 1950	40.00
Home Day Sales Committee	19.83
Donations	2.00
Town	17.20
	$110.32
Payments:	
Printing and Postage	$4.00
Prof. A. L. Foley, speaker	20.00
Sam E. Worthen, cash paid speaker 1950	10.00
Algra Home Bakery	15.59
In Savings Bank	60.73
	$110.32

JOSEPHINE H. FLETCHER,
Treasurer.

LIBRARY REPORT

Bridgewater River Road Library Branch

Report for Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1952

Town Books on hand Jan. 1, 1952	555		
1952 Books purchased	69		
1952 Gift Books	49		
Total	673		
Not included in above count is 111 paper novels.			
Loaned from Bookmobile to Oct. 1, 1952	684		
Books loaned to 10/1-1952	1,959		
Cash on Hand Oct. 1, 1952		$67.30	
1/1-52 Cash on Hand		40.99	
Interest		1.31	
Town Appropriation		150.00	
Total			$192.30

Paid Out for Books:		
Hill St.	$25.00	
Turnpike	50.00	
River Road	50.00	
Total		$125.00

EDNA LeBEAU,

Report for Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1952

	Trustee
Town Books on hand Jan. 1, 1952	555
1952 Books Purchased	69
1952 Gift Books	60
Total Books	684
111 Paper Novels not included in count above	
Books loaned from Bookmobile from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1952	792
Books loaned from Jan. 1, to Dec. 31, 1952	2,023

Town of Bridgewater Library Fund

Balance on Hand in Plymouth Bank Jan. 1, 1952		$67.30
Balance on hand	$40.99	
Interest	1.31	
Town Appropriation	150.00	
		$192.30
Paid Out for Books		
Hill Station	$25.00	
Turnpike Station	50.00	
River Road Station	50.00	
		$125.00
Balance		$67.30

LEONA TUCKER
Acting Librarian

LIBRARY REPORT (Continued)

Turnpike Station	
Town books on hand	248
Books Purchased	45
Gift Books	46
	339
Books Borrowed from Bookmobile	381
	390
Books Borrowed from State Library	9
Books Loaned from Station (Turnpike)	
Adults	312
Children	166
Total	478

There was an increase from 17 to 30 people borrowing books over the previous year with one family taking out 117.

Respectfully,

GERTRUDE M. BUCKLIN

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1952

Whittemore Point Fund	$974.89
Old Home Fund	1,136.98
Emerson Fund	648.32
Batchelder Fund	562.49
Webster Cross	160.19
	$3,482.87
Payments:	
Whittemore Point Fund	$12.00
Old Home Fund	30.00
Emerson Fund	20.00
	$62.00
Balance in Savings Bank	$3,420.87
	$3,482.87

JOSEPHINE H. FLETCHER
FRANCIS W. CLEMENT
Trustees

REPORT

of the

SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Directory

Edward G. Mellus	Moderator
Alice Dickinson	Treasurer
Claire Mellus	Clerk
Edward G. Mellus	Auditor

School Board

Elizabeth Pollard	Term expires 1954
Catherine Drew	Term expires 1955

Teacher

Helen Huckins	River Road

Attendance Officer

Mrs. Clara Jenness

Superintendent of Schools

C. Maurice Gray

School Nurse

Grace Filfalt, R. N.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Grange Hall in said district on the 10th day of March 1953, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars ($350) the same to be made immediately available.

Given under our hands at said Bridgewater this 10th day of February 1953.

CATHERINE H. DREW
ELIZABETH P. POLLARD
School Board of Bridgewater

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CATHERINE H. DREW
ELIZABETH P. POLLARD
School Board of Bridgewater

FINANCIAL REPORT

of

School Treasurer and School Board

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1952

Treasurer's Report

Summary:

Cash on hand July 1, 1951		$265.02
Received from Selectmen, current appropriation	$9,344.05	
Received from Selectmen, deficit appropriation	800.00	
Received from all other sources	1.00	
Total Receipts		$10,145.05
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		$10,410.07
Less School Board Orders Paid		10,329.38
Balance on Hand June 30, 1952		$80.69

ALICE B. DICKINSON, Treasurer

June 30, 1952

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Bridgewater of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1952, and find them correct in all respects.

EDWARD G. MELLUS, Auditor

July 15, 1952

COMPARATIVE BUDGETS

Item	Budget 1951-52	Expend. 1951-52	Budget 1952-53	Est. Exp. 1952-53	Est. Budget 1953-54
Administration:					
Salaries of dist. officers	$99.00	$96.00	$99.00	$99.00	$99.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	233.10	233.10	282.75	282.75	313.74
Tax for state wide supervision	70.00	70.00	68.00	68.00	86.00
Salaries of admin. personnel	88.20	88.20	107.25	107.25	116.20
Supplies and expenses	125.00	152.49	150.00	150.00	150.00
Instruction:					
Teachers' salaries	2,200.00	2,397.06	2,400.00	2,400.00	2,600.00
Books and other aids	75.00	71.54	75.00	60.00	100.00
Scholars' supplies	75.00	125.94	100.00	134.00	100.00
Supplies and other exp.	180.00	236.87	225.00	225.00	300.00
Operation of School Plant:					
Salary of janitor	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Fuel or heat	225.00	143.69	150.00	150.00	150.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses	100.00	176.01	100.00	150.00	150.00
Maintenance of School Plant:					
Repairs & replacements	150.00	66.90	100.00	100.00	150.00
Auxiliary Activities:					
Health supervision	163.75	164.71	168.75	168.75	179.53
Transportation of pupils	2,225.00	2,598.98	2,825.00	2,864.00	2,864.00
Tuition, high school	2,250.00	2,168.82	3,000.00	2,800.00	3,225.00
Tuition, elementary	720.00	1,073.92	1,350.00	1,760.00	2,275.00
Special activities and special funds	100.00				
Fixed Charges:					
Retirement	165.00	189.15	175.00	175.00	200.00
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses	75.00	60.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
Total Current Exp.	$9,344.05	$10,138.38	$11,420.75	$11,738.75	$13,103.47
Capital Outlay:					
Additions and improvements		30.00			
New equipment		161.00			
Total Capital Outlay		$191.00			
Total Expenditures	$9,344.05	$10,329.38	$11,420.75	$11,738.75	$13,103.47

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE 1953-54

District Assessment	$13,103.47

SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

Receipts:	
From Selectmen, appropriation	$9,344.05
From Selectmen, deficit appropriation	800.00
From all other sources	1.00
Total Receipts	$10,145.05
Cash on hand June 30, 1951	265.02
Grand Total	$10,410.07

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Salaries of District Officers:

Elizabeth Pollard, school board	$25.00	
Pearl Morrill, school board	18.75	
Catherine Drew, school board	18.75	
Alice Dickinson, treasurer	12.50	
Claire Mellus, clerk	3.00	
Edward Mellus, auditor	3.00	
		$81.00

Superintendent's Salary:

Supervisory Union No. 4		$233.10

Truant Officer and School Census:

Clara B. Jenness		$15.00

Expenses of Administration:

First National Bank, Bristol, service charges	$4.53	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	27.30	
The Record Print, notices	7.50	
The Enterprise Press, notices	3.00	
Supervisory Union No. 4, union expenses	111.70	
Elizabeth Pollard, expenses	2.45	
Pearle Morrill, expenses	10.73	
Catherine Drew, expenses	9.36	
Town of Bridgewater, printing town report	55.00	
John C. Ray, treasurer's bond	5.00	
Alice Dickinson, expenses	4.12	
		$240.69

Teacher's Salary:

Ynes DeFilippi	$1,844.44	
Collector of Internal Revenue	345.80	
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	206.82	
		$2,397.06

Text Books:

Noble & Noble Publishers, Inc.	$3.24	
The Macmillan Co.	19.83	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	9.18	
Allyn & Bacon Co.	15.93	
American Book Co.	1.24	
Ginn and Co.	11.62	
The Grolier Society	10.50	
		$71.54

Scholars' Supplies:

Cardigan Sport Store	$2.50	
Holden Patent Book Cover Co.	.84	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	11.73	
Rowe, Peterson Co.	19.17	
Silver Burdett Co.	4.61	
Edward E. Babb Co.	41.47	
Ginn and Co.	4.65	
J. L. Hammett Co.	2.36	
Ynes DeFilippi	18.36	
Denoyer Geppert	9.66	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	4.36	
The Macmillan Co.	2.68	
C. C. Birchard & Co.	1.60	
Bristol School District	1.95	
		$125.94

Flags:

Valley Forge Co., Inc.		$5.51

Other Expenses of Instruction:

Estelle Watts	$164.90	
Ruth Evans, records	11.00	
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	15.10	
Supervisory Union No. 4, filmstrips, tests, workshop exp.	15.28	
Children's Reading Service, records	21.08	
Stephen Childs, tuning piano	4.00	
		$231.36

Janitor Service:

Ynes DeFlippi	$25.00

Fuel:

Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.	$143.69

Water, Light and Janitor Supplies:

Masury-Young Co.	$10.78	
Albert P. Blake, plumbing & supplies	55.38	
Edward E. Babb Co.	18.20	
White River Paper Co.	35.02	
Cavis Brothers	4.25	
Ynes DeFilippi		$25.00
N. H. Electric Cooperative, Inc.	47.88	
		$176.01

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Albert P. Blake, labor & materials	$63.90	
Paul B. Torsey, transporting settees	3.00	
Forest Drew, work on school yard, bulldozing	30.00	
		$96.90

Health Supervision:

Supervisory Union No. 4, nurse's salary	$163.75	
McCrillis Drug Store, supplies	.96	
		$164.71

Transportation of Pupils:

Pearle Morrill	$1,204.34	
Clara B. Jenness	1,393.32	
Grace Filfalt, trip to dental clinic	1.32	
		$2,598.98

High School Tuition:

Ashland School District	$100.00	
Bristol School District	$1,125.00	
Plymouth School District	943.82	
		$2,168.82

Elementary School Tuition:

Bristol School District	$1,073.92

Per Capita Tax:		
N. H. State Treasurer		$70.00
Insurance and Other Fixed Charges:		
N. H. Teachers' Retirement System	$157.12	
Supervisory Union No. 4, Supt's and nurse's retirement	32.03	
John C. Ray, insurance & bond	60.00	
		$249.15
New Equipment:		
Cardigan Sport Store, playground equipment	$148.50	
Ynes DeFilippi	12.50	
		$161.00
Total Expenditures		$10,329.38

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, 1942 and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

PEARLE MORRILL
ELIZABETH POLLARD
CATHERINE DREW
School Board

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Now that there is a lull in material gains in the form of buildings it might be well for us to take "time out," catch our breath for a second, and review what we believe are the basic aims of education in Supervisory Union No. 4, what has been done, and what might be done. We should preface this by saying that there is wide disagreement in the basic educational philosophies of those engaged in education and real differences in operating methods. Rather than be alarmed about this we should consider it a very wholesome occurence for when people cease to disagree intelligently democracy disappears. The preservation of democracy and all it signifies is a primary aim of our education. We must watch attempts under the guise of democracy to ferment unreasonable differences of opinion in order that subversive elements may assume command once these differences have so weakened our morale that internal conquest becomes easy. There are many ways of doing this.

We spend most of our efforts in this school union teaching fundamentals in the tool subjects in elementary schools with much emphasis on reading skills. In spite of contrary opinion we go on record as saying that we are doing a good job as a whole, and we have many **excellent** results. Every year some nationally standardized achievement tests are given, the Metropolitan last year. In only one subject taking the nine towns together did we have an average score below national standards. That was 5th. grade spelling with .2 of a year below, largely due to one very poor grade in a small school. Our average in reading was .2 to a full grade above with some individual grades being two to three grades above. To cite more would serve little purpose but to summarize let us say **we** know where we stand and others guess about it. Futhermore we take conscious steps to improve the weak spots.

Teaching fundamentals and tool subjects is, however, only one aim of education whose real object is to teach

the individual to live a better life in the world of today and tomorrow. It is when we get into this problem that we get into serious differences. How should we teach democratic living? Let the pupils run the school? Some might say "Yes, to a large degree." I happen to say "No." This illustrates the point I believe. Hitting at this type of thing from another angle we may raise the question: "How much individual help does the child receive in school?" We all believe this to be important today. Can we do it with a first grade of 40 babies? Should we teach pupils to work and play together? Most people would say yes but might not agree that square dancing is a good method. "Should a child be given aid to like good music and art." Yes would be given most of the time. How well can this be done without teachers skilled in teaching appreciation of fine things, in part by actual participation? "Should religion be taught in Schools?" will start a mental massacre among otherwise intelligent people. Certain it is that much Christian living can be, and is being, taught by teachers everyday without teaching any creed. This could go on forever but let's end this by asking ourselves how well are we doing in teaching each individual child all he can absorb in all things he may need as a good citizen living an enriched life in a world where a boy may be required to swap deer hunting in the hills of New Hampshire for a different quarry in hills on the other side of the world. Is the education of the rural school of 50 years ago and the high school curriculum of that time, "More Latin and less Greek," good enough or is the type of education of previous generations to be held responsible for the problems facing the children of today?

Only two of my nine towns have the services of a music supervisor, none has an art instructor, only one has expert handwriting supervision, none has a kindergarten, none has physical education instructor, and none has a specialist in remedial reading. There is no thought of complaint in the above statement but rather proof of the fact that we are offering barely the most minimum education possible. I believe the pupils, your children, could profit by some of these which will be found in really modern schools where the cost of education is not borne completely-practically speaking-by the property tax.

Any school administrator must be an idealist to keep really alive but he must be practical too. Education costs money taking the bigger part of the tax assessment in most cases in spite of our low salaries to teachers. A school executive must be practical in the situation he faces. An enriched course of study is apt to mean more money, and so do flush toilets, and school lunch programs. I happen to believe that state aid must be given in quantities sufficient so that the property tax assessment may be lowered while improving educational opportunities for our children. If and when this is done it must be done in such a manner that we can know in advance how much each district will receive. It takes more courage than we have to ask for expensive items knowing the communities as we do. We could make plans programmed over a period of years if we were sure of state aid of sufficient amounts. No one is hurt by the present amounts of aid cut to 48% due to lack of state funds except the children of the state, and I'm particularly interested in those of my nine towns. As long as legislative funds for state aid are voted after school budgets are passed I can not recommend to local boards action to improve our educational system if it involves one penny of state aid. We'll use what we get to reduce the property tax assessment.

There are now twenty five pupils in the River-road School and this is too many for a rural school of all eight grades if we expect to give all grades an even chance and if we are to try to give individual attention to those that need it. Most pupils can profit by individual help in one subject or another now and then. Beginning pupils and those in the lower grades demand attention and receive much of the teacher's time leaving too little time for those in the upper grades. It might be well for us to be thinking about the possibility of sending the two upper grades to Ashland in order to do more for all the pupils in this school.

Right now Bridgewater is feeling the effect of more pupils than for some years. There is considerable shifting of population in the modern era and it is difficult and

risky to predict what may happen. In any event an increase in the number of pupils on the lake side reflects itself at once in tuition charges and usually in transportation costs. Likewise a decrease is immediately felt. The timing of these shifts determines whether or not we have increases and deficiencies, or the amount of same. Since budgets are made 18 months in advance of the final spending of the same it is impossible to have perfect budgets unless large amounts are allowed for unforeseen events. This we have never done.

Respectfully submitted,

C. MAURICE GRAY

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1953-54

Open Sept. 9	Close Nov. 25, 12:30
Open Nov. 30	Close Dec. 18
Open Jan. 4	Close Feb. 19
Open March 1	Close April 16
Open Apr. 27 (Tues.)	Close completion 180 days

Days out: Plymouth Fair 1 day; October 12; Nov. 26, 27; May 31. Total number of days required by State Board is 180 including three for institutes and conventions and up to five for workshops.

Pupils may enter the first grade provided they are six before January 1.

Vaccination is required by state law unless child has written excuse from doctor.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Enrollment by Grades

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
1951-52	3	4	2	5			6	2	22
Dec. 19 1952-53	5	3	4	2	5		1	5	25

District Totals

	Av. Attend.	Av. Abs.	Av. Memb.	% Attend.
1951-52	20.1	1.9	22	91.4
Dec. 19 1952-53	23.5	1.5	25	94.04

Tuition Pupils

Bristol—Rate H. S. $250 Elem. $150

Pupil	Grade
Ruth Pike	1
Lawrence Fogg	2
Susan MacDonald	2
Brenda Morrill	3
Cecily Fowler	3
Joseph Pike	5
Peter MacDonald	5
Dorothy Pike	6
Paul Morrill	6
David Holmberg	6
Marcia Fowler	7
Sandra MacDonald	8
Meredith Pike	9
John MacDonald	9
Shila Burbank	9
Robert Cook	10
Elaine Atwood	11
Robert Pollard	12
Shirley Brock	12
Nancy Brock	12

Plymouth—Rate H. S. $227 Elem. $185

Sharon Tapply	1
William Dickinson	9
George Radcliffe	11
Patricia Mitchell	12
David Dickinson	12

Enrollment by Grades

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Tot.
1951-52	16	25	24	20	24	28	26	44	30	28	25	28	318
Dec. 19 1952-53	25	14	25	23	31	25	29	26	54	25	28	27	332

Attendance Totals

1951-52	Av. Attend.	Av. Abs.	Av. Memb.	% Attend.
Elem.	192.1	14	206.1	93.2
H. S.	102.4	5.6	108	94.8
Totals	294.5	19.6	314.1	93.8
1952-53 Dec. 19				
Elem.	186.3	8	194.3	95.9
H. S.	132.2	3.9	136.1	97.1
Totals	318.5	11.9	330.4	96.4

Tuition Estimate

District	H. S. @ $250		Elem. @ $150	
Alexandria	16, 1 part yr.	$4,058.38	17, 1 part. yr.	$2,584.86
Bridgewater	8	2,000.00	12	1,800.00
Danbury	5, 1 part yr.	1,395.74		
Grafton	1	250.00		
Hebron	2	500.00		
Hill	3	750.00		
Meredith	1	250.00		
N. Hamp.	22, 2 part yr.	5,533.36	2	300.00
David Armstrong			2	300.00
	58	$14,737.48	33	$4,984.86

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